

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Knust et al.

Serial No.: 09/483,854 Filed: January 17, 2000

For: Automated Wagering Recognition

System

Examiner: Ashburn, S.

Group Art Unit: 3714

§ § Atty Dkt No.: GENE.3

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116

In response to the Examiner's Action of December 17, 2003, in order to place this case in condition for allowance or for appeal, please a mend the subject application as follows:

In the Claims:

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(Amended five times) A computer implemented gambling tracking system 1 1. 2 comprising:

> a central computer; a.

> > a video multiplexer coupled to the central computer; b.

a gaming table associated with the video multiplexer; c.

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